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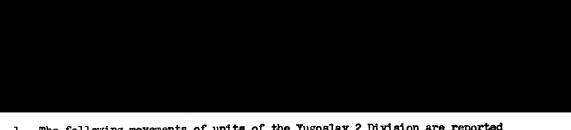
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- 1. The following movements of units of the Yugoslav 2 Division are reported to have taken place:
 - On 5 October 1948, the 1 Battalion of 3 Brigade moved from Nizepolje to Bukovo, where, together with 4 Battalion of 3 Brigade, moved into the Resan area.
 - b. Following these moves the 3 Battalion of 3 Brigade moved into the Nizepolje-Bukovo area, and 1 Battalion of 2 Brigade moved towards the frontier area of Zivojna and Bac, where it occupied positions astride the main roads from Greece.
- 2. It is believed that all main roads from Greece to Yugoslavia, between Zivojna and Dragos have been covered by (unspecified) infantry forces in this way.
- 3. From 10 October onwards, the Bitolj-Velusina and the Bitolj-Mantzidli roads have been patrolled hourly by an armored car followed at a distance of about 50 meters by a medium tank.

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troops mentioned in paragraph 1 (a) moved into the Resan area to replace the units sent to the Albanian-Yugoslav frontier areas near Struga to deal with guerrilla forces which had appeared in that area.)

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